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Applicant : Susumu SEINO et al.

Serial No. : 09/617,099

Group Art Unit : 1653

Filed : July 14, 2000

Examiner : Rita Mitra

For : PROTEIN RIM2

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**SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment filed July 14, 2000, prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the Sequence Listing section with the Sequence Listing submitted herewith.

REMARKS

The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the foregoing amendment prior to examination of the above-identified patent application. In this regard, the present amendment is directed to replacing the originally filed Sequence Listing with the Sequence Listing being filed herewith.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment in the above-captioned application.

- ☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously filed.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references cited.
- ☒ A Response to Notice Dated June 26, 2001 and Statement that the Content of Paper and Computer Readable Copies are the Same (including a diskette containing sequence listing and paper/written copy of the same).
- ☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Total Claims: 15	*20	0	x 9=	\$0.00	x 18=	\$
Indep. Claims: 2	**3	0	x 40=	\$0.00	x 80=	\$
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+135=	\$0.00	+270=	\$
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☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.

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